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Rome, June 20. *N. S.*

THE Congregation appointed to examine the Matter about the Right of Presenting to the Abbeys, and other Ecclesiastical Benefices in *Piedmont*, which was contested between the Duke of *Savoy* and this Court, have at length given their Opinion in favour of the Duke; and the Resident of *Savoy* has since had Audience of the Pope, to desire he will make a Decree pursuant to this Resolution. The Prince of *Monaco*, Ambassador Extraordinary from *France*, arrived yesterday at *Civita-Vecchia*, being attended by 4 *French* Galleys and 2 Tartanes; He was received there by the Pope's Officers, who entertained him very splendidly, and this evening he arrived here, having been met several Miles out of Town by the Cardinal *de Bouillon* and the Cardinal *d'Arquien*. A Squadron of 15 *French* Galleys, commanded by Monsieur *de Forville*, are come to *Civita-Vecchia*, and will proceed in a day or two towards the Coast of *Naples*. The Pope's Galleys are ordered to cruize off of *Sicily* against the Ships of *Tunis* and *Tripoli*.

Turin, June 27. The Count *de Tesse*, who came hither to Congratulate the Duke and Dutchess of *Savoy* on the part of the Dutchess of *Burgundy*, upon the Birth of the Prince of *Piedmont*, had his Audience of Leave last week, and was presented by their Royal Highnesses with a Sword set with Diamonds to the value of about 2000 Pistoles, and he is since returned home. Monsieur *Hofkirke* arrived here this week from *Brussels* with the Character of Envoy Extraordinary from the Elector of *Bavaria*, to make his Electoral Highness's Compliments of Congratulation at this Court upon the same occasion. On the 24th Instant, the Magistrates of this City entertained the Duke and Dutchess of *Savoy* in a very splendid manner at the Town-Hall, where the Court was likewise diverted with a Ball and a Consort of Musick, and afterwards with a very fine Firework. The Magistrates also presented to her Royal Highness a Purse, in which were 2500 Pistoles.

Venice, June 26. Signior *Soranzo* prepares for his Embassy to *Turkey*, and two *Venetian* Men of War are appointed to attend him in his Passage to *Constantinople*. Our last Letters from *Dalmatia* say, the Commissioners for settling the Limits were at *Sternizza*, where they continued their Conferences with very good Success. By some Merchant Ships which came in here this week from *Turkey*, we have received Letters from *Constantinople* of the 15th of *May*, which give an Account, that my Lord *Paget*, Ambassador from His Majesty of *Great-Britain*, arrived at *Andrinople* the 18th of *April* last from *Belgrade*, and on the 21st had Audience of the Grand Signior, who expressed a great deal of Veneration and Esteem for His Majesty of *Great-Britain*, and assured his Excellency, he should ever retain a grateful Memory of the good Offices of His Majesty's Mediation; and presented the Ambassador with a very rich Vest, and a fine *Turkish* Horse with costly Furniture. These Advices add, that the Sultan had altered his design of sending the *Reis Effendi* or Chancellor, (who was his First Plenipotentiary at the Treaty of *Carlowitz*) with the Character of his Ambassador to the Emperor, and had appointed *Ibrahim Bassa*, who commanded his Troops against the *Muscovites* last Summer, to perform this Embassy. That the Cham of *Tartary* had resigned the Government of that Country, by reason of his great Age, to his Son Sultan *Galga*, and the Port had confirmed the same. And that the Grand Signior having received Advice, that the Inhabitants in the Neighbourhood of *Bassora* and *Babylon*, had taken Arms against him, a considerable Body of Janizaries, under the Command of two Bassa's, were sent thither to suppress them.

Warsaw, June 24. The *Pacta-Conventa* have been laid before the General Diet according to their desire; But at the same time it was represented to them, that they ought not to read them, or to proceed upon any other Business before they had made choice of a Marshal. Some of the Deputies took this occasion to insist, that the *Saxon* Forces which are encamped near this City should be forthwith sent home; Whereupon the Deputies from *Prussia* represented to the Diet, that seeing the Affair of *Elbing* had occasioned a Difference between this Crown and the Elector of *Brandenburgh*, and that his Electoral Highness has a considerable Body of Troops on the Frontiers of *Prussia*, it would be convenient that these *Saxon* Regiments should march towards those Borders, to be in a readiness to defend that Country in case a Rupture should happen; This Proposal has given occasion to several Debates, and the Diet have this Matter under Consideration. The Cardinal Primate is daily expected from *Lowitz*. The Duke of *Holstein* has resigned the Regiment he had in the Service of the King of *Poland*, who has ordered it to be called the *Queens Guards*, and has given the Command of it to Major-General *Fleming*.

Vienna, June 27. The Commissioners for settling the Limits between the *Hungarian* and *Turkish* Territories, continue their Conferences; The *Turkish* Commissioner insists, That the Town of *Novi*, seated on the River *Unna*, with its Dependancies, be yielded to the Sultan, upon which Count *Marsigli* has sent an Express hither, and this Matter having been considered by the Emperor's Council, the Express will be sent back in a day or two with further Directions to the said Count thereupon. We hear from *Hungary*, that part of the Troops which are ordered to encamp